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On *OATHS*.

AN Oath, though originally inſtituted for the Good and Weal of Civil Society, like moſt other ſolemn Inſtitutions begins to find itſelf elbow'd out of the World, or rather, by the Depravity of Mankind, ſo corrupted in the Uſe, as to render that civil Inſtitution of very little Signification. Whoever will give himſelf the Trouble (and to a Man of any tolerable Reflection it muſt be Trouble indeed) either at Coffee houſes or Taverns of making his Obſervations upon Mankind, will be reduc'd to conclude, that there is ſcarce one in ten now in being, that does not by the notorious Abuſe diſcountenance the Uſe of that ſacred Inſtitution. I chuſe to mention Coffee-houſes and Taverns for the Places of Experiment, as receiving, for the moſt Part, Perſons moſt likely to entertain or imbibe Notions of Sobriety and Virtue: For let who will examine into the Matter, they will diſcover, that if it were not for the middling Sort, whether Men or Women, Religion would find itſelf almoſt totally abandon'd. The very Great think themſelves, forſooth, of too refin'd Spirits to throw away a Thought upon it; and the Dregs of the People have enter'd themſelves ſuch Proſelytes to *that* refin'd Way of Thinking of their Superiors, that in a glorious Emulation they out-do even our *Freethinkers*, and never think at all, or at leaſt to as little Purpoſe as either one or the other. Under this Dereliction, what muſt poor deſtitute Religion propoſe? How few Votaries can ſhe promiſe herſelf, where two Thirds of Mankind have voluntarily diſqualified themſelves for acting under her Truſt, and of the remaining Third ſcarce one in ten in this Branch of it, under our preſent Conſideration, appear with either Votaryſhip or Virtue! The Wiſdom of our Nation, whatever may be their common Practice, would have the World believe they have a vaſt Reverence for an Oath; and therefore on every imaginary Exigence, the Sanction of an Oath, by Act of Parliament, muſt ſecure their Fears, and ſupport the State. Thence have ſuch Oaths undergone the Diſtinction of *Parliamentary* Oaths, or *State* Oaths. Not that any Parliament ever yet was found ſo weak or mad, to imagine their Authority could add any Force to an Oath, notwithſtanding they thought it neceſſary to impoſe it on the Conſciences of the People for common Security. However, this Uſe I ſhall make of their Authority, as ſerving my preſent Purpoſe, That an Oath, in their Opinion, is a Thing ſo ſacred, that nothing can be thought of, equally conducive to publick Safety. And proud am I ſo far to be of their Opinion, that if Mankind paid due Veneration to Oaths, an Oath would be, on Experience, the ſtrongeſt Cement to the moſt tottering Government. But in order to accompliſh ſo glorious an Æra, there will be found a few Requiſits, which, I am afraid, have had hitherto too little of their Regard or Reflection. I will not value to ſay, that by Example they or ſome of them, perhaps not a few, would ſeem to eſtabliſh another Doctrine, and put Precept out of Countenance by their own Practice. Others of them, at the ſame Time, will tell you, perhaps, by way of Mitigation, that they have already made and paſs'd Laws againſt Profane Swearing almoſt innumerable. Grant it, yet, if what they have already made prove defective, in other Caſes, they would be ready enough to ſeek out better. If a Breach of Privilege is complain'd of, Committees are immediately appointed, and no Peace or Quiet till Redreſs or Remedy is acquir'd. If then the Good of Society or publick Safety depend upon the Veneration of Oaths, why are they leſs ſolicitous for the publick than for their own private Intereſt? True it is, they have laid Penalties and Forfeitures upon every Defauſter; nay, they have made it, perhaps, penal to a Fault, for any Perſon to ſwear in the Company of a Juſtice of Peace, (it will be imagin'd I here mean Vain Swearing:) And yet have we not daily Inſtances of thoſe complaiſant Gentlemen's forfeiting their Ears to preſerve a Criminal, or perhaps bearing them Company in Profane Swearing, the better to evidence the Value of the Oath they take upon their own Admiſſion, or the vaſt Deteſtation they had conceiv'd of the Crime in others, which they homologate in Practice? Undoubtedly ſuch natural Compliances muſt have a ſtrong Energy towards a Reformation; and weak Heads, who are commonly here the conſtant Aggreſſors, muſt find their Averſion enrag'd by ſuch doughty Performances: And yet, perhaps, if the Defaulter was immediately either to be committed to hard Labour, or the other to be *ipſo facto* diſqualified for ever acting under any Commiſſion for the future, the Wiſdom of the Nation would honourably act according to a *South-Britiſh* Conſcience, and acquit themſelves of all further Trouble of making Acts for the Extinction of a Vice ſo unpleaſing, unprofitable and ſordid. I am ſenſible it will be objected, that Habit, not Intention, is all the Account that moſt of this illuſtrious Faculty can produce in Alleviation of this unaccountable Infirmity. And yet to demonſtrate that a good Reſolution will go a good Way toward it (and I am apt to think Fear would have no unlike Influence) I recollect a Paſſage that may inſtruct, and perhaps divert. A Perſon of no little Station in the Army ſent up to ſome General Officers, who were met at a Tavern near *Charing-Croſs*, to deſire he might be admitted into Company. Two of the Officers, before they return'd any Anſwer, caſt their Eyes upon a Friend, then preſent, whoſe Company they valued (and who by the Sequel will be found to have had too ſerious a Value for an honourable Oath to have any for a vain one) and were diſputing what Anſwer to give. The Friend obſerving as much, enquir'd into the Meaning of it, and was told that what they did was on his Account; for that the Officer who deſir'd to be admitted never ſpoke one Sentence without an Oath. Gentlemen, ſays he, I do not deſire to quit Company, nor will I be ſo rude to oppoſe a civil Requeſt; pray let the Officer be admitted. Immediately he came up, and was plac'd to the Right Hand of the *no* Officer, or rather he plac'd himſelf in that Situation, deſiring to ſit next the only Stranger. He had hardly ſeated himſelf, but he gave full Proof that all that had been ſaid of him was deplorably true. After a Round or two (of Glaſſes I mean) the *no* Officer fixing his Head on his bended Elbow, ſeem'd to ſit very melancholy; obſerving which, with a loud Four-Pounder, ſays the laſt Comer, What's the Matter, Sir? You were repreſented to me as a merry Companion. Why ſo dull? And you, Sir, ſays the *no* Officer, very gravely, were by theſe Gentlemen repreſented to me as a Perſon of Honour and Juſtice. Now, Sir, I have, what perhaps you may call a Failing, a Tenaciouſneſs of Temper, that will not ſuffer me to be eaſy without my Share of Diſcourſe. Not that I have any Vanity of my own Performances: But I look upon it as a Piece of Juſtice due to every Perſon, and the Property of every Man in Company till he miſbehave. Is that all, ſays the Officer? Then pray take your full Share; I give you my Hand I will not rob you. Then, Sir, I thank you, ſaid the *no* Officer. And whereas you have already ſworn abundance, I only deſire on your Promiſe that the next Oath may be mine. The whole Company burſt into a violent Laughter: However the Officer, though he ſate many Hours after in the ſame Company, was ſo much a Man of Honour, that he never broke the Cartel. Is not here an Inſtance, to Demonſtration, that even Habit and Cuſtom are nothing inſuperable? Perhaps Allowances may be demanded from ſomewhat of a ſuperior Senſe and Honour. Be it ſo; if we can reclaim all thoſe, I am apt to think the lower Claſs will fall in Courſe: Or, at leaſt, as I ſaid before, Fear will go farther towards reclaiming ſuch, than all the Examples in the World. But, obſerve who will, the Defaulters in this monſtrous Science are (generally ſpeaking) the Profligate and Irreligious. Who, either from a Poverty of Underſtanding, intermix'd with the Lees of a barren Education, never ſearch'd into any Thing to found a right Principle upon; or, if they accidentally dropp'd upon any Thing that happen'd to be right, for want of Senſe to maintain it, they loſt it almoſt as ſoon as they found it. I would not trouble Grace in the Buſineſs; it is a Word of too much Myſtery for their Capacity; and Myſtery, tho' an intelligible Word with Mechanicks, works in their unintelligent Underſtandings like an Apothecary's Potion, always backwards. They are afraid to let it go near their Heads, for fear their want of Brains ſhould make a Diſcovery more myſterious than Myſtery itſelf.——Theſe are the Heroes in the Science of Swearing. Not Proſelytes of Habit or Cuſtom, but Election. They take as much Pleaſure in venting old-faſhion'd Oaths, as a *Scotchman* would in inventing new: The Fox-hunter takes not half ſo much in mounting a five bar Gate in a full Chace. Nor come they off even their foul Stomachs with Hardneſs or Heſitation; but paſs with the ſame Eaſe, that an Eel does through the Fundament of a Heron. You would think they had taken an Emetick, and ſwallow'd Gallons of *Carduus* to make it come off more kindly. Shame or Confuſion are no Part of the Effects: You might as well look for Gems in a Cloſe-ſtool Pan, as expect one Word that leans towards Virtue to defile their vile Mouths. Intrepidity in Ill is a ſworn Article in their Faith; and they take more Pains to ſhow it, than a Harlot would to diſcover to a young Cully her Habitation. Nothing ever makes them coſtive but Intereſt; and yet even then he behaves like an Aſs put in Tramels to make a Pacer. It is a Plea they never thought on; and yet I dare offer it in their Favour, that if you deprive them of their Oaths, you take away all Uſe of Speech, and leave them not ſo much as a bare Interjection to lament their Calamities. In ſhort, were the Fines already impoſ'd to be duly collected, and the Collections go to the Uſe of the Publick, the Land-Tax, tho' four Shillings in the Pound, and the Malt-Act at the Tail of it, would not raiſe half the Money that theſe voluntary Tranſgreſſors would be found to raiſe for the Publick. Provided nevertheleſs that a ſaving Clauſe were added, to reſtrain them from leaving off a Practice ſo much to the Benefit of the Nation. But Raillery apart, in many Parts of *Spain* it is a known Cuſtom, that on Proof of any Man's being, or having been drunk, it diſqualifies all his Evidence in any Court of Juſtice. If this Practice be approv'd, methinks what I am going to offer ſhould not miſcarry. If the Vain Swearer therefore were to be alike diſqualified; if not the Reproach, the Danger muſt alarm him, and neceſſitate him ſome Time or other to reflect upon the Folly that had ſo diſabled him from being an uſeful Member of the Common-wealth. Tho' Swearing is the too common Conſequence of Drunkenneſs, yet can it not be deny'd that there is yet a greater Analogy between Vain Swearing and Forſwearing; and therefore I ſhould think my Propoſal ſtands at preſent on a fairer Foot of Election. But, alas! if thoſe Cyphers of Men are to proceed impunitively in their riotous Excurſions, till ſuch a Reformation obtains; tho' our Demerits may too juſtly acquire the Chaſtiſement of a Peſtilence; or tho' infinite Mercy may extend itſelf yet again in favour to the Ten found in *Sodom*; yet ſure the Ears of every virtuous Perſon that walks the Streets muſt tingle long, and every Moment at the execrable Utterances that invade them. The Gentlemen Swearers have ſo amply inſtructed their honourable Diſciples our Carmen, Coachmen, Porters, and ſuch like, that a Man can walk no where with a Salvo to the Senſe of Hearing: Since the Accents are ſo horribly piercing, that Ears, tho' ſtopp'd with blackeſt Wool, cannot repel the Poiſon. And yet we can boaſt of Laws, and, I hope, ſome Juſtices to ſee them put in Execution; and the Penalties, as I have ſaid, if collected and apply'd, might be of vaſt Service to the Publick, or, at worſt, the Dread of them might produce the Reformation wiſh'd for. In the mean Time, to properate ſo good Work, could I prevail upon the Gentleman Swearer to a ſmall Portion of Reflection; after which, if he would reſolve me Philoſoper-like whence ariſes the Pleaſure of a Vice ſo mean? Or what Foundation of Profit his wiſe Schemes have propos'd from it? If Ambition is his Aim, and he thinks he can ſurpaſs in that noble Science the Catchpole, Bailiff or Serjeant; to prove him a Novice, he need but repair to either of the Compters, or any of our Jails; ſure I am, he will find his generous Spirit foil'd and diſtanc'd, in what he ingloriouſly endeavour'd to ride Cha-

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rioteer. But if, in Oppoſition to Virtue or Shame, he will perſiſt to immolate his low Remains of Reaſon, he may aſſure himſelf of Wages as full, and being ſhameful, as ſuitable, to his Demerit; if not from our Juſtices here below, yet from that tremendous Judge whoſe Name he has ſo often and ſo ſhamefully violated.

SATURDAY, *July* 7.

EARLY Yeſterday Morning a Fire broke out in *Little Gray's-Inn-Lane*, at a Waſher-woman's, which entirely conſum'd the Houſe and all the Furniture, together with ſeveral Dozen of fine Holland Shirts, and other fine Linnen, to the Value of above 70l. but by the Aſſiſtance of the Engines and Firemen, it was extinguiſhed. The Man and his Wife narrowly eſcaped with their Lives; the Neighbours bringing a Ladder, by which they got out of the Two Pair of Stairs Window. The Occaſion of this was by the Fire taking hold of ſome Wood-work of the Copper in the Waſh-houſe, and which has been ever ſince Tueſday laſt breaking out, no Fire having been made there ſince.

On Wedneſday laſt when the Rev. Mr. *Tindal* preſented his Royal Highneſs the Prince of *Wales* with his firſt Volume of his Tranſlation of M. *Rapin*'s Hiſtory of *England*, his Royal Highneſs was pleaſed to preſent him with a curious Gold Medal, weighing upwards of ten Ounces, valued at between 40 and 50l.

Laſt Week Lord *Gower*'s Coachman going to put ſome Corn in the Manger to an unruly Horſe, he bit the Coachman in ſo terrible a Manner, that notwithſtanding the beſt Advice and Attendance he died of his Wound.

Yeſterday Morning Mr. *Berſon* going in his Coach from his Houſe in St. *James's-ſtreet* to his Seat in *Wiltſhire*, one of his Servants who attended the Coach on Horſeback, had the Misfortune to receive a very dangerous Fall, by which he was bruiſed very much, and the Horſe falling with great Violence againſt ſome rough Stones, he was killed on the Spot.

On Wedneſday laſt the Aſſizes ended at *Oxford*, when ſix Perſons were try'd, but none capitally convicted.

We are well informed, that the Right Hon. *Hugh* Lord *Clinton* hath, in Purſuance of his Right to ſeveral Lands, *&c.* in and about *Greenwich*, delivered five Ejectments to certain Perſons in Poſſeſſion of certain Meſſuages and Tenements upon the Premiſes. 'Tis ſaid that there was a Deſign of ſettling the Manor of *Greenwich* upon his Royal Highneſs the Duke.

Mancheſter, July 2. Laſt Tueſday Morning between Twelve and One o'Clock, we had ſome of the loudeſt Cracks of Thunder that ever were heard in this Place; as we had alſo on Wedneſday, when ſeveral Perſons were killed by the Lightning in *Cheſhire*, where there fell Hail-Stones of five or ſix Inches Circumference.

Extract of a Letter from Mr. OGLETHORPE.

Charles-Town, May 14, 1733.

We are at Peace with all the *Indian* Nations, and have great Hopes of one Town being converted to the *Chriſtian* Religion, ſince they already deſire to be inſtructed in our Faith, and their chief Man is with me. We have receiv'd the Stores and Men that came with *Vanderplank*, as I adviſed you in my laſt. The *James* I left at *Port-Royal*, from whence ſhe is to proceed up to the new Town upon the *Savannah* River. Dr. *Cox* is dead; *Parker* is ill of a Conſumption, which he had contracted before he left *England*: All the reſt of our People are in perfect Health: We have not loſt one Soul, except Dr. *Cox*, ſince our Landing. I have been in this Town twelve Days, and have obtain'd from the Aſſembly 20000l. of this Currency Money, for the Aſſiſtance of our People this Year. The Committee of Supply have voted 12,000l. Currency for ſupplying the Colony next Year, and the Reſolution will be reported after the Holydays; I ſhall return till then to *Georgia*. The Inhabitants of this Town have already ſubſcribed 1000l. Currency, of which they paid me 500 to buy Cattle. There will be great Contributions all over this Province. I have ſent you a Caſk of Seeds, which was a Preſent from the *Indians*, ſome Bear's Oil, and ſome Drugs, as the Firſt-Fruits of this Country.

Marriage. On Tueſday laſt the Rev. Mr. *Michell*, of *Horſham* in *Suſſex*, A. M. Chaplain to the Right Hon. the Lord Viſcount *Irwin*, was married to Miſs *Tredcroft*, of the ſame Place.

Death. Yeſterday died, at his Houſe in *Suffolk ſtreet*, Mr. *Wymees*, an eminent Apothecary, ſaid to be worth upwards of 10,000l.

MONDAY, *July* 9.

On Friday laſt about Two in the Afternoon, two Boys playing on a Lighter at *White-Friars Dock*, one of them puſh'd the other over-board, who, notwithſtanding the Means us'd to ſave him, was drowned.

We hear that *Watkin-Williams Wynn*, Eſq; Knight of the Shire for the County of *Denbigh*, has made a Preſent to *Jeſus* College in *Oxford*, of a fine Punch Bowl, which will hold 16 Gallons, the Gilding whereof alone coſt 60l.

On Saturday Morning about Two o'Clock, as a Gardener's Cart loaded with Cherries was coming to Town out of *Kent*, a Son of the ſaid Gardener, who drove the Cart, ſleeping upon the Shafts, fell off and fractur'd his Skull, ſo that he died on the Spot; ſome Rogues lurking thereabouts, clear'd the Cart of the Cherries.

A Gentleman in *Holland*, of Truth and Judgment, has ſent the following Character of the Prince of *Orange*, in a Letter to a Friend of his here in Town.

In a Letter from hence, I ſuppoſe you will expect ſomething more than Baſineſs: I will therefore tell you, that I was the other Day at the Prince of *Orange*'s Court, which was very numerous. A great many of the Clergy and Laity came to make their Compliments to his Highneſs, who received them all in the moſt obliging Manner. But this Deportment coſts his Highneſs no Pain; it is natural to him. Courteſy and Affability are a Part of his Conſtitution. He is a Prince too, who delivers himſelf readily and clearly upon any Subject, of quick Diſcernment and ſound Judgment, aſſiſted by a Memory which retains every Thing; and this well furniſhed with uſeful Materials, by Lecture and Erudition uncommon to a Perſon of his Years: So that nothing ſeems wanting to ſtrike out of this Prince a very great Character, but ſuitable Occaſions of producing to the World thoſe eminent Qualities he is ſo happily poſſeſſed of, and a large Experience of Men and Things, which is only to be gained by Time.

Commitment. Yeſterday Morning about Two o'Clock, a Woman of the Town pick'd a Gentleman's Pocket of Notes and Bonds to the Value of 400l. She was immediately taken and committed to the *Compter*.

Preferments. His Majeſty has been pleaſed to appoint the Right Hon. *Francis* Earl of *Godolphin*, to be Governor of the Iſlands of *Scilly*, alias *Sorlingues*, in the room of *Sidney Godolphin*, Eſq; deceas'd.—— His Majeſty has been pleaſed to appoint *George Bennet*, Eſq; to be Lieutenant Governor of the ſaid Iſlands,——His Majeſty has been pleaſed to appoint *George Read*, Eſq; to be Colonel of the Regiment of Foot lately commanded by the Earl of *Albemarle*.—— His Majeſty has been pleaſed to create *John Fane*, Eſq; a Baron of the Kingdom of *Ireland*, by the Name, Stile and Title of Baron of *Catherlogh* in the County of *Catherlogh*.—— His Majeſty has been pleaſed to appoint the Right Hon. the Earl of *Kintore*, to be Knight Mariſhall of *Scotland*.—— His Majeſty has been pleaſed to appoint Mr. *George Liddell*, of *Hammer*, to be Keeper of the Regiſter of *Seaſines* for the County of *Orkney* and *Zetland*, in the room of Mr. *James Traill*, deceaſed.

Marriage. Mr. *John Giffard*, an eminent *Italian* Merchant of this City, was married on Thurſday laſt to Miſs *Brooks*, a Lady of 15000l. Fortune.

Bankrupts. John Main, late of the *Strand*, in the Pariſh of St. *Martin's in the Fields*, Taylor and Merchant.——*Robert Paulling*, of *Pudding-Lane London*, Victualler.

TUESDAY, *July* 10.

On Saturday laſt the Aſſizes ended at *Wincheſter*, when five Men receiv'd Sentence of Death: Two for robbing the *Exeter* Coach, one for Forgery, one for Horſe-ſtealing, and one for robbing his Fellow-Servant.

On Sunday in the Afternoon a young Lad, Apprentice to a Shoe-maker at *Hammerſmith*, was drowned in the River *Thames*, near *Chiſwick*; another Lad went into the Water with him, and the former by diving being carried out of his Depth, and neither of them being able to ſwim well, he was loſt. Some Fiſhermen coming ſoon after, caſt their Net and brought him to Shore, and a Vein being open'd, he bled a little, but was paſt Recovery.

On Wedneſday Night an elderly Gentleman going home with his Daughter through *Fleet-ſtreet*, was inſulted by a young Man, a Surgeon in that Neighbourhood, who (taking her to be a Woman of the Town) would have took her from him, but the Gentleman ſtruck at him with his Cane, and beat one of his Eye-Balls into his Head.

Yeſterday as one *Gad*, a Shoe maker in *Tothill-ſtreet*, was ſwimming at the *Horſe-Ferry*, he was ſuddenly ſeized with the Cramp, and drowned.

On Friday laſt the Aſſizes ended at *Abingdon* in the County of *Berks*, when four Perſons were try'd, two of whom were capitally convicted, *viz. John Whitaker*, for a Robbery on the Highway; and *Joſeph Farmer*, for Felony. *William Veare* was try'd for breaking open a Box, and ſtealing thereout 10l. but the Proof not being ſufficient, he was acquitted. *Daniel Bizlew* was try'd for Felony, and order'd to be whipt.

Laſt Friday was held a Grand Committee at *Bethlehem-Hoſpital*, in order to conſider of beginning another Wing for Incurables after the Model of the former, and it was agreed not to employ their own Workmen, except on as reaſonable Terms as others might propoſe; it having been rather a Grievance than a Benefit to adhere too implicitly to their conſtant Workmen.

Accounts from the Weſt of *Scotland* inform us, that ſo terrible a Storm of Hail fell on Wedneſday was Sennight in the Pariſhes of *Calder, Kirkintulloch, Kilſyth*, &c. as has ſcarce been heard of; that ſome of the Hail-ſtones were like Pieces of Ice, meaſur'd five Inches, and lay three Days unmelted, notwithſtanding the exceſſive Heat of the Weather; that they broke Glaſs Windows, kill'd Crows, Pigeons and other Birds, and entirely deſtroy'd the Fruits of the Earth as far as it extended. It raiſed the Waters of *Caron, Denny, Kelvin*, &c. ſo ſuddenly, and to ſuch a Height, that the Bridges on the two former were deſtroy'd, and great Numbers of Horſes, Cows and Sheep carried away with the Rapidity of the Stream; almoſt all the Mills upon thoſe Waters were borne down, and in one the Miller and his Daughter were drowned. The Loſs occaſioned by this Storm is very conſiderable.

Oxford, July 8. On Friday laſt our Publick Act began, which was opened by a fine Concert of Muſick by Mr. *Handel* and ſeveral of the beſt Performers (Vocal and Inſtrumental) in the *Italian* Opera's, and was graced with the Preſence of a moſt noble and polite Audience, who were pleaſed to expreſs their general Satisfaction; ſince which, the Theatre has been taken up with performing learned Exerciſes, ſeveral of which are greatly applauded. This Morning the Rev. Dr. *Cockman*, Head of *Univerſity* College, preached at St. *Mary*'s Church, to a very crowded Audience, and made a very excellent Diſcourſe. The Sermon in the Afternoon was preached by the Rev. Dr. *Secker* of *Exeter* College, when the Church was ſo thronged, that many Perſons were almoſt ſtifled before they could get out. The Perſons of Quality and Diſtinction who are come hither on this Occaſion, make a very grand Appearance, and are greater in Number than ever was known heretofore; the little Hutts of the neighbouring Villages are moſtly filled with the Gentlemen of *Cambridge* and *Eton*, there being no Place empty in this or the Towns within five or ſix Miles about us. Mr. *Handel* has perform'd two of his Oratorio's by a Subſcription of five Shillings with great Applauſe, which encourages him to continue them till the Concluſion of our Act.

Commitment. On Sunday Morning laſt one *Welch*, an *Iriſhman*, was ſeiz'd in *Bridges ſtreet, Covent-Garden*, upon Preſumption, that he, with four others, kill'd one *John Aſhley*, a Foot-Soldier. The Murder happen'd as follows: Sunday laſt was three Weeks the Deceas'd walking in *Bridges-ſtreet*, and happening to ſpy Six-pence lying on the Ground, took it up; when *Welch* ſaying it belong'd to him, but not deſcribing it right, the Deceas'd refus'd to give it him; upon which *Welch* and four others fell upon him with Sticks, and beat him in ſo barbarous a Manner, that his Brains flew out and he died. *Welch* being Yeſterday carried before Juſtice *Midford*, was by him committed to *Newgate*.

Preferments. On Friday laſt the Court of Directors of the *South-Sea* Company choſe *George Crow*, Eſq; (formerly Conſul at *Barcelona*) and Mr. *Ord*, to be their Factors at *Carthagena*, in the room of Mr. *Garthwait* (who had deſired to be recalled) and Mr. *Naſmith*; and at the ſame Time Mr. *Gray* was appointed to be their Book-keeper.——The Rev. Mr. *Price* was lately preſented by the Right Rev. the Lord Biſhop of St. *David's*, to the Vicarage of *Largevelach* in the County of *Glamorgan*, worth about 200l. *per Ann.* void by the Death of the late Incumbent.——On Thurſday laſt his Majeſty was pleaſed to appoint the Lord *Catherlogh*, to be Colonel and Captain of the firſt Troop of Horſe-Guards.——Mr. *Richard Owen*, to be Enſign in Sir *Charles Hotham*'s Regiment.—— Mr. *Thomas Rodd*, to be Lieutenant in the Royal Regiment of *Welch* Fuzileers.

Marriage. A few Days ſince Capt. *Maurice*, formerly Commander of a *Weſt-India* Ship, was married to Miſs *Betty Worth*, Daughter of *John Worth*, of *Worth* in the County of *Devon*, Eſq; a young Gentlewoman of 5000l. Fortune.

Deaths. On Friday laſt Mr. *John Letton*, a Dealer in Wines, Son-in-Law to Mr. *Calcott*, Treaſurer to the Company of Upholders, went to Bed in ſeeming good Health, at his Houſe in *Caſtle-ſtreet, Leiceſter-Fields*, and the next Morning his Spouſe, to her great Surprize, found him dead.——The ſame Night died, at her Houſe in *Bell-Yard*, in the 73d Year of her Age, Mrs. *Vernon*, Relict of *John Vernon*, Eſq; who died in the memorable Year 1720, and was reckoned one of the moſt eminent Counſellors in the Court of Chancery of his Time.——On Friday died at *Mortlack, John Rayner*, Eſq; formerly an eminent *Hamburgh* Merchant.——The ſame Day died, at *Stubbington*, about four Miles from *Goſport, Thomas Mijng*, Eſq; who was a very eminent Merchant, and Contractor for the Victualling of *Gibraltar, Nova Scotia*, &c.

WEDNESDAY, *July* 11.

Samuel Robinson, Chamberlain of this City, came to Town from his House at *Endfield* on Monday in the Evening, and Yesterday was sworn into his Office before the Court of Lord Mayor and Aldermen.

On Monday Evening a Man washing himself in the *Thames* near *Mill-Bank*, was unfortunately drowned, and Yesterday his Body was taken up.

On Sunday last Mr. *Parker*, belonging to the Ferry at *Brentford*, returning from *Hounslow*, his Chaise over-turn'd and threw him under a Waggon, the Wheel whereof running over his Head, gush'd out one of his Eyes, and bruis'd him in so terrible a Manner, that he died the next Day.

Robbery. Last Monday Night about Ten o'Clock, three Gentlemen and a Boy were robb'd in a Hackney Coach between *Plaistow* and *Ham* Church in *Essex*, as they were coming to Town, by a single Highwayman, who took from them two Silver Watches and about 9 l. in Money, and then rode off towards *London*.

Preferments. His Majesty has been pleased to appoint Sir *Robert Rich*, Bart. to be Captain and Colonel of the first Troop of Horse Grenadier-Guards, in the room of the Lord *Cutherlegh*.—— His Majesty has been pleased to grant the Dignity of a Baronet of *Great Britain* unto *Edward Turner*, of *Ambrosden*, in the County of *Oxford*, Esq;——Last Week the Lord Chancellor presented the Rev. Mr. *Strickland Gough*, M. A. to the Vicarage of *Nesse-strange*, alias *Great Ness*, in the County of *Salop* and Diocese of *Litchfield* and *Coventry*.

Deaths. Last Monday Night died, at her House at *Hammersmith*, Mrs. *Herne*, a Maiden Gentlewoman of great Fortune, who was just upon the Point of Marriage with a Person of Distinction.——Last Saturday died, at her House in *Milk-street*, *Cheapside*, Mrs. *Dowdeswell*, Widow of Mr. *Dowdeswell*, a noted *Irish* Factor. She is said to have died worth 15,000 l. which she has left to an only Daughter about five Years old.——Last Monday died in Child-bed in *Charterhouse Yard*, Mrs. *Elizabeth Day*, Wife of the Rev. Dr. *Day*.——*Norwich*, *July* 7. Yesterday died *William Cockman*, Esq; Father of this City, who was Sheriff of *Norwich* in 1703, and Mayor in 1711.

Bankrupts. *John Graham*, of the *Hill*, in the Parish of *Rowcliff*, in the County of *Cumberland*, Chapman and Salesman.——*Charles Wood*, of *Southwark*, in the County of *Surrey*, Chapman.——*Daniel Newman*, of *Fetter-Lane*, *London*, Victualler and Dealer in Horses.——Sir *Thomas Bury*, of the City of *Exon*, Knight and Merchant.

THURSDAY, *July* 12.

Yesterday the Artillery-Company paid their Compliments to the Right Hon. the Lord Mayor, according to annual Custom, in a handsome Exercise, and afterwards retreated to an elegant Dinner at *Goldsmiths-Hall*.

They write from *Brill* in *Buckinghamshire*, of a very inhuman Murder committed there last Week, and which happen'd in the following Manner: A Man who keeps tame Rabbits in that Town, having Occasion to carry some of them to a neighbouring Village, and being oblig'd to pass thro' a Wood in his Way thither, one of his Rabbits found Means to get from him, and made directly into a large Declivity hard by, surrounded and almost cover'd with Nettles; the Person pursuing his Rabbit, was surpriz'd to observe the Nettles so much trampled down, and suspecting that a Sheep might have been kill'd and hid there, he turn'd up the Nettles, and found that a Hole had been lately dug there and fill'd up again; which increasing his Curiosity, he went back and got a Spade and Assistance, and digging about two Foot deep, came to a Basket, wherein was a new-born Child, having no Marks of Violence upon it beside what the Pressure of the Earth had occasion'd; there was with it a Quantity of proper Linnen, and upon the Enquiry that ensu'd, a Maid-Servant in a neighbouring Family of Distinction readily own'd the Child, and charg'd the Gentleman's eldest Son both with being the Father of it, and that he had prevail'd with her to trust him with it, under pretence of carrying it out of the House to a Nurse at some Distance; upon which the Coroner's Inquest have brought in their Verdict *Wilful Murder* against the young Gentleman, and he has thought proper to leave the Country thereupon.

Yesterday in the Afternoon Mr. *Smith*, Rent Gatherer to Mr. *Rush*, late an eminent Vinegar-Merchant on the other Side of the Water, drop't down dead in *Flower-de-luce-Court*, *Fleet-street*.

It is written from *Dole* in *Franche-Comté*, that the famous Jesuite Father *Girard*, whose Intrigue with Miss *Cadiere*, and his Trial subsequent thereto, made so great a Noise in *Europe*, but more particularly in the South of *France*, a Year or two ago, died there the 4th Instant, just as he lived, denying all that was charged upon him, and asserting his Innocence; for which they say the Fathers of that Society have a Dispensation; for they were never known to acknowledge themselves Guilty of the least Peccadillo, and consequently they cast no Reproach upon their Order.

Oxford, *July* 10. Yesterday about One o'Clock, the Vice-Chancellor, accompany'd by the Heads of Houses, the Doctors in their Boots and Robes, and the other Members of the University properly habited, repair'd again to the Theatre, where was present a vast Concourse of Nobility and other Persons of Distinction, of both Sexes. The Ceremony was then perform'd of creating 84 Masters of Arts, one of which was the Right Hon. the Lord *James Beauclerck*: After which the Gentlemen who were Inceptors in the Degree of Doctor in the several Faculties held Disputations for some Time, and at length were created in their Turn, to wit, Doctors of Divinity, the Rev. Dr. *Isham*, of *Lincoln* Coll. the Rev. Dr. *Ballard*, of *C. C.* Coll. the Rev. Dr. *Robinson*, and the Rev. Dr. *White*, of *Merton* Coll. the Rev Dr. *Bliss*, of *Worcester* Coll. the Rev. Dr. *Atwell*, of *Exeter* Coll. Dr. *Cockman*, Head of *University* Coll. not in Holy Orders, the Rev. Dr *Fonshaw*, of *C. C.* and the Rev. Dr. *Green*, of *Queen's* College: Doctors of Physick, Dr. *Aldersey*, Dr. *Manaton*, Dr. *Pitt*, and Dr. *Petres*, of *C. Co.* Dr. *Adee*, and Dr. *Healy*, of *C. C.* College: Doctors of Law, Dr. *Secker*, of *Exeter* Coll. and Dr. *Pocock*, of *C. C.* Coll. The Vice-Chancellor concluded the Act in a most elegant Oration in *Latin* in Praise of Learning, the Honours of it, and the Methods used in the University for obtaining them. As the Solemnity in conferring the Degrees on the Gentlemen before-mention'd engag'd the Theatre to a very late Hour of that Afternoon, Mr. *Handel's* new Oratorio, call'd *Athalia*, was de err'd till this Day, when it was performed with the utmost Applause, and is esteem'd equal to the most celebrated of that Gentleman's Performances; there were 3700 Persons present. A Gentleman having been long since appointed, and appearing likewise in the Theatre in the Character of *Terræ Filius*, a Speech from him was to the last expected, but none suffer'd. The Verses spoken by young Noblemen and others on Friday last, at the Opening of the Act, were as follow: On the Occasion of the *Act*, the Lord *Barry*, eldest Son of the Earl of *Barrimore*, and the Hon. Mr. *Gower*, eldest Son of the Lord *Gower*: On the King, by the Lord Viscount *Castlemain*: On the Royal Family, by Sir *Harry Furnese*, Bart. On the illustrious House of *Orange*, by the Lord *Romney*: On the Queen's late Munificence to *Queen's* College, by Mr. *Yates*, a Gentleman Commoner of the same College: On the several Benefactors of the University, by the Lord *Guernsey*, eldest Son of the Earl of *Aylesford*: On the Settlement of the new Colony in *Georgia*, by Mr. *Gibson*, Son to the Lord Bishop of *London*: Upon Oratorio's, by Mr. *Buckeridge*, a Gent. Com. of St. *John's*: On the present *Oxford Almanack*, by the Hon. Mr. *Tracy*, eldest Son of the Lord Viscount *Rathcool* of the Kingdom of *Ireland*, and Sir *Richard Newdigate*, Bart. On the Hyppo, by Mr. *Snell*, a Gent. Com. of *Baliol*, &c.

Preferment. On Monday last Mr. *William Wigget* was chosen an Alderman of the City of *Norwich*, in the room of Mr. Alderman *Cockman*, deceas'd.

FRIDAY, *July* 13.

On Thursday last a poor Woman, who came to Town from *Reading* big with Child, was taken very ill in *Size-Lane*, and obliged to sit down at a Door; several Women who came about her, seeing her Condition, carried her into St. *Antholin's* Church, the Vestry being then sitting, where she was delivered of a Boy in one of the Pews, which was taken Care of by the Officers of the Parish.

The Barges that belong to *Abingdon*, *Reading*, and *Oxford*, cannot come down the River *Thames* by Reason of its Shallowness being in some Places quite dry; and the Barges that generally come from *Ware* in less than two Days, are now above a Fortnight, being obliged to wait for the Flashes, the Springs being so very low.

Yesterday Morning the Lady of the Hon. *Horatio Walpole*, Esq; was brought to Bed of a Daughter.

On Wednesday last the Wind blowing very hard, a Boat was overset in *Chelsea-Reach*, with four People in it, by which Accident two Persons were drowned, and the others were saved with much Difficulty.

On Tuesday Night the Assizes ended at *Hertford*, when only one Prisoner was try'd, who was capitally convicted, *viz.* *Thomas Rolfe*, for stealing a Horse, which he confess'd; but was reprieved in order for Transportation; only ten Causes were try'd on the *Nisi Prius* Side.

Yesterday a Ship came up the River in her Return from *Greenland*, having been fitted out and employ'd there in the Whale-Fishery, on the Account of some eminent Merchants of this City: She had the Fortune to catch three Whales, and has brought home 170 Casks of Blubber.

Preferment. The Rev. Mr. *Gilbert Jackson*, Fellow of *Corpus Christi* College, *Oxon*, was lately presented to the Rectory of *Botley*, in the County of *Southampton*, void by the Death of the last Incumbent.

FOREIGN NEWS.

THE three following Letters are come to Hand, late written by the Serene Primate of *Poland* to the Emperor, the King of *Great Britain*, and the States-General of the United Provinces.

Most Powerful Emperor, &c.

The Time of Election drawing near, (which may Heaven prosper it) will end the Days of publick Mourning, and disperse the present Clouds of Sadness, with the diffusive Rays of a new Sovereign, the Serene Republick being sensible how nearly their Liberties are concerned therein, implores the sacred Justice so ardent, and as it were innate in the illustrious House of *Austria*, and supplicates your *Imperial* and *Catholick* Majesty, by the tender Regard you have so eminently shewn in Time past for the Republick, to be graciously pleased to preserve the Freedom of Election by your Favour, and protect from all Incroachments the very Soul of our Immunities. The Serene Republick cannot conceive why they should fear ought from neighbouring Powers; we don't believe we have offended any of them, and are well assured they might safely depend on our Moderation, with Regard to our own Pretensions. However, Prudence being the Mother of Security, the Republick cannot but have its Anxiety on this critical Occasion, and allow what barely may happen, its due Weight of Consideration. Therefore to prevent the worst, she has timely Recourse to the wholsome Counsels and good Offices of your *Imperial* Majesty, whereby to obviate the fatal Blow which *Europe* (at present in a State of Tranquility) may receive, should any one Power go about to foment Divisions amongst the People Electors, composed of so many thousand Persons, which were enough to set the World on Fire. Since then the Success of this Affair regards not solely the Republick, but every Kingdom is more or less concerned therein, and ought to endeavour, as far as in them lies, for the Preservation of Peace, your *Imperial* Majesty's pious Care and good Offices will serve as an Example to the rest. Such an heroick Work, to protect an Orphan Republick, will fix an Obligation upon us as long as the Republick shall last, and make a glorious Reign memorable to the latest Posterity. Your *Imperial* Majesty will reap Glory from this Action, preferable to all your Triumphs. Done at *Warsaw*, *June* 13, 1733.

Most Powerful King, &c.

The Serene Republick deprived of its Head, has Recourse to the antient Friendship which has always subsisted between her and the powerful Kingdoms of *Great Britain*. She does it with entire Confidence, more especially in this critical Juncture, being about to proceed to an Election: This Election is and ought to be free, nor expos'd to the open or private Solicitations of Foreign Ministers. The Serene Republick has done nothing to give her Occasion to fear Hostilities from her Neighbours; moreover is determin'd to fear nothing, but will stand out to the last Extremity in Defence of its precious Liberties, and suffer no Foreign Minister to make the least Attempt upon them. Mean time, if Matters should be carry'd to such a Heighth as to endanger a Flame throughout *Europe*, the Serene Republick implores your Majesty's good Offices before Hand, praying you to prevent in Time, all such wicked Attempts which just Princes can never approve of. The publick Tranquility of *Europe* requires a Stop to be put to such Motions as may proceed from an unjust Ambition, either to corrupt the Minds of a free-electing People, or to create fatal Divisions among them. Your Majesty's Care to preserve the Peace of *Europe*, and put it on a lasting Foot, will add to your Glory, already far enough extended, and lay an immortal Obligation on the Serene Republick: In whose Name I heartily wish your Majesty long Life and an happy Reign, crown'd with every Kind of Blessing, &c.

High and Mighty Lords,

The Serene Republick no sooner mourn'd for the Loss of King *Augustus*, but gave your High-Mightinesses early Notification, not only to receive proper Comfort from a free Republick, so celebrated throughout *Europe*, but also to entreat your good Offices, in case of any sudden Event. We did it with the greater Confidence and Familiarity, in Regard 'tis natural to apply to those who in their political Station of Life resemble ourselves, and to expect good Offices from them by Way of Sympathy. The Day of Election draws near, the important Day, which decides the Fate of *Europe*. The Serene Republick employs all its Care to see that the solemn Act be executed freely, quietly, and independant of Foreign Powers, without being disturb'd either by open Violence or private Intriegue. Since the Republick has religiously observ'd all its Treaties with the neighbouring Powers, nor given the least Room for Complaint, we think we ought to fear none, and indeed are resolv'd to abide the worst, rather than cowardly suffer any indirect Means to prevail in Prejudice of our Rights. In the mean Time if Affairs should take an ill Turn, and threaten the Effusion of Christian Blood,

the Serene Republick previously implores the good Offices of the noble States-General, and above all appeals to the Balance of *Europe*, for which their High-Mightinesses have so eminently distinguish'd themselves, not only for the Support of a general Tranquility, but to curb Ambition, and keep it within the Bounds of Justice, that the greater Powers may not oppress the weaker. This is all that is meant by an equitable Balance; and thus I express myself to you in particular, in Quality of Primate, and in the Name of the Republick, who am, *&c.*

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